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In re Application of: **David McCartney**

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Title: **"SOLVENT"**

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As below inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, joint and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention titled "Solvent", the specification of which is filed herewith.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information, which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d), and 35 U.S.C. 365(a)-(b), of a) UK Patent Application No. 0227207.8, the specification of which was filed 21 November 2002; and b) Patent Cooperation Treaty Application No. PCT/GB2003/004860, with international filing date of 12 November 2003, which was published as International Publication No. WO 2004/046291 on 3 June 2004.

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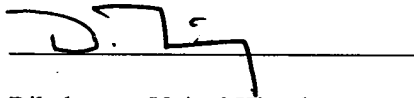
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